

CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
CENTRAL VALLEY REGION

415 Knollcrest Drive, Suite 100, Redding, California 96002

PUBLIC HEARING
concerning

TENTATIVE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS
FOR
ALEXANDER J. MISTAL AND VIRGINIA C. MISTAL,
BECHELLI CLEANERS,
AND BECHELLI CLEANERS, INC.
REDDING
SHASTA COUNTY

Alexander J. Mistal and Virginia C. Mistal (Dischargers) formerly owned and operated Bechelli Cleaners and Bechelli Cleaners, Inc., a dry-cleaning business at 2572 Bechelli Lane, Redding. Past dry-cleaning operations polluted groundwater with chlorinated ethenes; therefore the Dischargers have voluntarily injected emulsified soybean oil near the historical source under Tentative Waste Discharge Requirements (WDRs). The Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board will consider finalizing the Tentative WDRs at public hearing during the Regional Board meeting, which is scheduled for:

DATE: 7/8 October 2009
TIME: 8:30 a.m.
PLACE: Regional Water Quality Control Board
Central Valley Region
11020 Sun Center Drive, #200
Rancho Cordova, CA 95670

The designated parties for this hearing are as follows:

- Central Valley Regional Board staff
- Ginne Mistal, former co-owner, Bechelli Cleaners, Redding
- Greg McIver, Source Group, Inc., Grass Valley
- Brad Berggren, RSV Engineering, Wilsonville, OR
- Andrew Nelson, Walsworth, Franklin, Bevins, and McCall, San Francisco

Only designated parties will have these rights: to call and examine witnesses; to introduce exhibits; to cross-examine opposing witnesses; to impeach any witness; and to rebut the evidence against him or her. All other persons wishing to testify or provide comments are interested persons and not designated parties. Such interested persons may request status as a designated party for purposes of this hearing by submitting such request in writing to the Board no later than **24 September 2009**. The request must explain the basis for status as a designated party and in particular how the person is directly affected by the discharge.

The Executive Officer authorized operation under Tentative WDRs on **12 August 2009**. Persons wishing to comment on this noticed hearing item shall submit testimony, evidence, if

any, and/or comments in writing to the Regional Board no later than by noon on **24 September 2009**. Written evidence or comments submitted after noon on **24 September 2009** will not be accepted and will not be incorporated into the administrative record if doing so would prejudice any party.

All designated parties and interested persons may speak at the Regional Board meeting, and are expected to orally summarize their written submittals. Oral testimony and cross examination will be limited in time by the Board Chair.

Anyone having questions on Tentative WDRs for the former Bechelli Cleaners site should contact Eric Rapport at (530) 224-4998. Interested parties may download the proposed Order and related documents from the Regional Board's Internet website at <http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/tentative/>. Copies of these documents can also be obtained by contacting or visiting the Regional Board's office at 415 Knollcrest Drive, Suite 100, Redding, California 96003 weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

The procedures governing Regional Water Board meetings may be found at Title 23, California Code of Regulations, Section 647 et seq. and are available upon request. Hearings before the Regional Water Board are not conducted pursuant to Government Code section 11500 et seq. The procedures may be obtained by accessing http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_laws/. Information on meeting and hearing procedures is also available on the Regional Board's website at http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_meetings or by contacting any one of the Board's offices. Questions regarding such procedures should be directed to Ms. Kiran Lanfranchi-Rizzardi at (916) 464-4839.

The hearing facilities will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Individuals requiring special accommodations are requested to contact Ms. Kiran Lanfranchi-Rizzardi at (916) 464-4839 at least 5 working days prior to the meeting. TTY users may contact the California Relay Service at 1-800-735-2929 or voice line at 1-800-735-2922.

Please bring the above information to the attention of anyone you know who would be interested in this matter.

Original Signed By

JAMES C. PEDRI, Assistant Executive Officer

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